

# THE WRANGELL SENTINEL

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## CABLE NEWS

WASHINGTON.—In order to meet the coal famine Garfield today directed that all manufacturing plants east of the Mississippi river and in the states of Minnesota and Louisiana, except those producing food, close for five days, and during the next ten weeks shall close Mondays and holidays.

WASHINGTON.—It is estimated that thirty million tons of coal can be saved by Garfield's drastic order. Violent protests from business interests throughout the country are pouring into Congress, the White House and various departments of government which for the past six hours have fairly shaken under the reaction from the order. That Garfield had exceeded his authority was charged in both Senate and House circles, and demands were made for a revocation of the order.

SEATTLE.—Comstock and Faulkner, alleged bootleggers on a large scale, have been bound over to await the action of the federal grand jury.

LONDON.—Ten vessels sunk during the week ending Wednesday.

LONDON.—Diamandi, the Rumanian minister has been set free by the Bolsheviks.

NEW YORK.—Baron von Hasperg, a German, interned at Ellis Island.

SAN FRANCISCO.—The five soldiers who are alleged to have plotted to destroy Fort Seward with dynamite and also kill a number of loyal members of their regiment as a part of an anarchistic plot have been tried by court martial. The findings by the court martial today reached Major General Murray for review. The result of the court martial is not revealed.

ASTORIA.—Plot to wreck a train carrying troops to Fort Stevens was frustrated.

WASHINGTON.—Six killed and three injured when the Michigan was caught in a heavy gale at sea.

LONDON.—Mutiny among submarine crews at Kiel reported in a dispatch from Geneva. Thirty-eight officers reported to have been killed.

PETROGRAD.—Reports are current here that the former czar and his family have escaped from Tobolsk.

### St. Philip's Church

Sunday, Jan. 20 at 7:30 p. m.  
Is Christian education necessary? Should a parent tolerate a child's excuse for remaining away from church and Sunday-school when he would not listen to a like reason for remaining away from day school? What is the effect of an education that is not thoroughly Christian? (Remember the Huns).  
What is the effect of a Christian education where the parent says "You go ahead" rather than "You follow me."  
These and many other questions will be considered in the service Sunday evening next at St. Philips Church.

## REDMEN ENTERTAIN

The most largely attended and enjoyable social event that has taken place in Wrangell this season was the Redmen's social Tuesday night.

Possibly never before were the decorations in the Redmen's hall more numerous or attractive. A very large number of emblems of the order in a score of different designs were in evidence, and these together with a number of American flags of various sizes served to transform the hall into a dream of loveliness.

The first amusement of the evening was a game of progressive whist. The ladies' first prize was awarded to Miss Marie McKinney. Mrs. Edwin Hofstad and her daughter, Miss Helen, tied for the ladies' consolation prize. In cutting for the prize Miss Hofstad was the successful contestant. The gentlemen's first prize was awarded to Mayo W. Wenzell. The gentlemen's consolation prize went to John Berg.

Following the whist game there was a short musical program.

Wm. Patterson rendered two violin selections both of which were received with keenest appreciation. Mr. Patterson was accompanied on the piano by Mr. Warren.

Miss Grace Wigg sang "America, Here's My Boy." Her voice was almost as sweet as her face and that means a lot. In response to an enthusiastic encore Miss Wigg sang "Over There" which also received a prolonged applause. Mrs. E. B. Mitchell accompanied Miss Wigg on the piano.

Dr. J. L. Bulkley rendered a vocal solo which was so enthusiastically received that he was not permitted to take his seat until he had sung another selection. Dr. Bulkley was accompanied on the piano by Mr. Warren.

At the conclusion of the program the guests were invited to the banquet room where delightful refreshments were served.

Following the lunch there was a dance down stairs. The music was excellent and every one seemed to enter heartily into the spirit of gaiety.

The unusual success of the event was largely due to the efforts of the committee in charge composed of Louis Olsen, Oscar Wickstrom, and Ole Johnson.

W. H. Warren, the sachem, also had a hand in making the affair a success.

### Resolution of Condolence

#### ARCTIC BROTHERHOOD

WHEREAS: Our Brother, Wm. G. Thomas, has suffered a great affliction in the loss of his beloved wife; therefore, be it.

RESOLVED, That the members of Camp Wrangell No. 28, Arctic Brotherhood express to the bereaved brother their deepest sympathy.

"To live in the hearts of those we leave behind is not to die."

Having resided in Wrangell more than three decades Mrs. Thomas had a place in the lives of a large number of people, and although she has passed from the scene of earthly activity she will continue to live in the lives of those she has left behind.

May the bereaved husband find consolation in the consciousness that his loss is deeply felt by his Arctic brothers all along the trail.

F. E. GINGRASS,  
THOMAS DALGITY  
LOUIS OLSEN,  
Committee.

He who wastes a crust of bread prolongs the war.

## WRANGELL ZEALOUS FOR FOOD SAVING

### All Eating Places Agree to Observe New Rules of Food Administrator

#### NOTICE

We, the undersigned, at request of Federal Food Administrator for Alaska, have agreed to observe in our places of business the following program of serving food to our customers until further notice.

EACH TUESDAY— No meat (beef, mutton or pork.)

EACH WEDNESDAY—No wheat or food made therefrom.

EACH SATURDAY— No pork, including bacon, lard, or ham.

No bread, crackers, butter or sugar on table until meal is served.

Two lumps of sugar to each cup of tea or coffee, or equivalent in dry granulated sugar.

We also agree to refrain from baking wheat bread for Wednesdays, and from the use of butter and animal fats in cooking as far as possible.

WRANGELL HOTEL,  
By J. G. GRANT.

WRANGELL RESTAURANT,  
By Mrs. L. E. BARRON.

BOSTON CAFE,  
By L. NAKAMATO.

Wrangell, Alaska,  
January 16, 1918.

W. A. Lucas of Wrangell, who is a veteran of the Spanish-American war with a clean record, recently offered his services to his country. This week he was disappointed to receive a letter from the adjutant general, declining to accept him at present, but stating that his application had been put on file. Mr. Lucas saw service in the Philippines.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Kittridge sailed south on the Jefferson. Their brief sojourn in Wrangell resulted in some very pleasant friendships. Mr. Kittridge holds an important position with the government as an engineer. Mrs. Kittridge is a cultured and talented woman of unusual musical ability.

George Stubbs who spent a portion of last year in Wrangell is now in Colorado. He was formerly in the Navy and recently tried to re-enlist but was rejected owing to an injury to his hand received while working in the mill here. Mr. Stubbs is a brother of Mrs. Hankins of Wrangell.

This week a man whom we had always regarded as a friend said he wished the man we wrote the article about last week would come around and give us a good licking so that people would know who he is.

F. E. GINGRASS wishes gas boat men to know that he can hoist anything from the bay into the machine shop up to 6000 pounds.

The Princess Sophia was in port Tuesday morning with Capt. A. Slater in command. Owing to the fact that Capt. Locke was suffering with a severe cold he decided to take a vacation. Capt. Slater was temporarily transferred from the Princess Alice to relieve Capt. Locke. Capt. Slater stated that he expected to call here southbound on Thursday evening instead of Friday evening as advertised.

George Storch and Henry Heinbuckel left this week on a fishing expedition. A 240 h. p. engine is being installed this week at the saw mill of the Willson & Sylvester Mill Co.

Andrew Stevenson of Skagway, president of the Bank of Alaska, will be in Wrangell for a short time this evening. Mr. Stevenson is aboard the Princess Sophia en route to the States on a business trip.

Mrs. G. C. Clark, who for the past month has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Marcus Wigg departed on the Jefferson Monday morning for Juneau where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Glenn Bartlett.

At Seward all hope has been abandoned for the safety of Benjamin F. Swesey and William G. Weaver, veteran guides and prospectors, who have been missing since last October. It is regarded as certain that they lost their lives during a storm in the waters off Cape Elizabeth, near the eastern entrance of Cook Inlet.

## NUSSBAUMER THANKS THE RED CROSS

Washington, D. C.  
Dec. 27, 1917.

Wrangell Chapter,  
American Red Cross  
Wrangell, Alaska.  
Dear Ladies:

I received your package yesterday and wish to extend to you my heartiest thanks for same. I was rather surprised at first but am real happy now to think that, even though homeless, there is someone in this great world to remember me. I expect to leave for France in a day or two and where ever I may be I shall at all times deeply remember the Ladies of the Wrangell Chapter of the American Red Cross.

Military life at this time of the year is rather tough as it is very cold and quarters are in poor condition; but we are all in for one cause and able to stand almost anything.

I had the honor of attending a show with President and Mrs. Wilson on Christmas day; the entire battalion was present. We had a picture taken with our President also.

With best wishes and kindest regards, I remain,

Sincerely yours,  
Private N. NUSSBAUMER,  
Co. F, Fourth Battalion,  
20th Engineers,  
American University,  
Washington, D. C.

P. S. Will send a letter or postcard from Berlin sometime in the near future.

Last week F. E. Gingrass advertised a 30-h.p. Imperial gasoline engine for sale. Within 24 hours after the Sentinel had been issued the engine was sold.

A member of the Red Cross will be in the town hall between 3 and 4 o'clock Friday afternoon to receive donations for the work.

W. H. Warren, vice president of the Bank of Alaska, will leave on the Princess Sophia this evening for a short business trip to Seattle.

Ed Grigwire's dandruff treatment is the best on the market. Try it and be convinced.

John Johnson who has been laid up with a sprained ankle for the past two weeks is able to be around again.

Mrs. Becker and child, of Craig, left on the Prince John yesterday for a short trip to Seattle.

For Sale—Two room cottage nicely furnished. Inquire of Oscar Carlson.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Carl Arola on Friday, January 11, 1918, a daughter.

F. S. Willson arrived home on the Jefferson Monday from a business trip of several weeks in the States.

Have your watch repaired at George Cowan's, in the Uhler Block.

Raymond Lee who was in Wrangell last summer working on one of the Columbia & Northern boats is now at Powers, Oregon.

F. S. Barnes, superintendent for the F. C. Barnes Co. at Lake Bay was in Wrangell a few days ago.

## TROMBLE GETS BIG SPRUCE CONTRACT

Signs Up With the Government for 300,000 Feet of Spruce Monthly to Be Used in the Manufacture of Aeroplanes.

PORTLAND, Jan. 14.—The Signal Corps of the United States army has signed up with F. J. Tromble of Craig, Alaska, for a monthly output of 300,000 feet of spruce. The signal corps will soon increase the output of spruce from Alaska to 2,000,000 feet monthly by contracts to be let to other mills in Alaska. The Alaska timber will be shipped direct to the aeroplane plants through Prince Rupert, B. C.

The foregoing dispatch means more for Wrangell and Southeastern Alaska than is realized at this time.

The spruce branch of the lumber industry is increasing in importance daily. In 1918 there will be a large output of spruce timber which will materially increase the volume of business for Wrangell and Southeastern Alaska.

As the Sentinel has several times pointed out, the white spruce of Southeastern Alaska is highly adaptable for aeroplane manufacture. It has the necessary qualifications to withstand vibration, pressure and strain, and its fine close grain makes it superior in strength to ordinary spruce timber. The popular construction of French, English and American aircraft for military purposes requires tough framework, and for this type selected spruce is used throughout.

The specifications submitted by the aeroplane manufacturers call for clear, straight-grained spruce; flat or vertical grain; five inches and over wide; one foot, three inches and over thick; though better prices are obtained for that eighteen inches wide and two feet thick.

It is from Zarembo, Prince of Wales, and Admiralty Islands, near Wrangell, that the greatest amount of white spruce is found in Alaska. Nowhere north of the Straits of Juan de Fuca are such excellent growths to be found.

C. M. Coulter who has always taken a deep interest in the Wrangell school recently took up a subscription to have the ground under the school playshed covered with a layer of gravel. The following citizens contributed to the fund:

Cunningham & Sorset	\$5.00
H. D. Campbell	5.00
C. M. Coulter	5.00
L. C. Patenaude	5.00
Chas. Benjamin	5.00
Harry Gartley	5.00
F. Matheson	5.00
Fred Leonard	5.00
Donald Sinclair	5.00
J. G. Grant	5.00
Bank of Alaska	5.00

Mr. Coulter holds a receipt from I. C. Bjorge showing that he paid him \$55 for gravelling the ground under the playshed.

In the future the Arctic Brotherhood will serve sandwiches and coffee at its meetings each Wednesday night.



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### MORE ABOUT "OTHER SOURCES"

On December 14 the Juneau Empire published a dispatch from Seattle relating to Alaska contributions for relief of Halifax sufferers. The amount of \$437 which had been sent from Wrangell was credited to "other sources." The following week the Sentinel contained an editorial protesting against the use of the words "other sources" when Wrangell was meant.

On December 31 the Empire contained the following explanation of the matter:

"Editor J. W. Pritchett of the Wrangell Sentinel is up in arms for the defense of his home town. It there is one thing above another that will make an editor imitate Mt. Katmai it is to have a slight placed on his home town, whether intentional or accidental. And this is as it should be. For instance editorially the Sentinel of Dec. 20th says:

(Here is reproduced our article referring to the matter.)

"The Empire assures Editor Pritchett there was no intention to slight Wrangell. As he says, the Empire has called upon him more than once for Wrangell news and its thanks are especially due him for his prompt response and reliability always.

"As Mr. Pritchett knows, even with the Associated Press and the Signal Corps operators and editors all working in good faith, mistakes will occur in the 'best of regulated families.' The dispatch referred to came late in the afternoon in the hurry of getting to press and catching the ferry. The name of 'Anchorage' was repeated twice, with the \$200 and the \$437 credited to 'Anchorage.' The editor not being able to guess the name of the missing town added 'other sources.' So there you are, Mr. Pritchett, for they say 'confession is good for the soul.'"

The Canadian Club in Seattle has evidently learned of the blunder, as the following message would indicate:

[Cablegram]

Seattle, Jan. 6, 1918.

The Sentinel,

Wrangell, Alaska.

Wrangell's gift of \$437 previously acknowledged by letter, also in Seattle newspapers.

Additional contributions as follows: Haines, \$437; Cordova, \$150; Anchorage, \$203.50; Fairbanks, \$257; Seward, \$600; Ketchikan, \$650; total \$2340.50.

This club in no way responsible for article in Juneau Empire. Have wired that paper.

CANADIAN CLUB.

Pennsylvania complains that good horsehoes are getting scarce and wonders what will happen after the few remaining ones are gone. But shoeing horses is only a minor concern of the average family man. It's shoeing his children for school that worries just now.

The government is going to great lengths to provide good food and plenty of it for the boys at the army cantonments. Although poor food will make a man mad enough to fight it has been found that the rule won't work with a soldier.

### SOLDIER'S REST HOUR.

Providing generously for the physical well-being of his boys in khaki, Uncle Sam does not stop there. He throws open to all the camps wholesome recreations for the soldiers' play-hour, baseball, tennis and water sports; at the same time he does all that any government can do to protect the army community from the inroads of vice. In a number of cantonments the Y. M. C. A. will have as many as seven buildings, offering amusement and instruction and giving facilities for study and writing. The American Library association is preparing to install suitable libraries and give the services of trained librarians. Lecture and study courses will be arranged to meet the wants of young men who may have been taken from their studies to be made into soldiers, says American Review of Reviews. Altogether, the soldier's mental and moral betterment will be more effectively and systematically promoted than has ever before been possible in the massing of so great an army.

Your full measure of worth will never be reached. It's your business to keep moving forward. When you keep every day's business within the limit of the day you are master of time and work. Allow trifles to consume the hours and you will soon be wrestling with accumulations that clog. Keep ahead of your tasks and you rob them of their irksomeness. You make the work of tomorrow easy by doing your best today. And as you do your best the measure of tomorrow never comes. Your final effort is just ahead. Work for it.

Americans whose fuel supply is low should take a leaf from the experience of their English cousins, who dwell for the most part in houses without furnaces and trust in small fires and to good circulation gained by exercise to keep them warm in winter. Those who exercise most will feel the cold least this year.

Even the torrid weather cannot abate the enthusiasm nor check the activity of the army of woman workers who have voluntarily enlisted to aid the government in its campaign for the prevention of waste, and who, so long as there is an ounce of perishable food in sight will preserve and pickle and dry.

Among the ingenious brutalities of Germany is the invention of a high explosive that resembles coal and cannot be identified when mixed with coal for shipping purposes. The more we learn of German ingenuity the more it is to be regretted that it is not directed in decent uplifting paths.

There can be no higher tribute to the patriotism of our farmers than the statement that they have increased their acreages from 10 to 50 per cent since the opening of the war and that thousands of them have gone broke fighting the battle of liberty in the furrows.

A British expert says that the United States will be the deciding factor in the air in defeating Germany. It has been a favorite American maxim that there is always room at the top, and here is a brilliant chance to prove it.

The theory that England and France lured Uncle Sam into the war with the intention of hanging back and letting him do the fighting is not getting much support from people who are keeping track of General Haig.

That British officer who climbed over the top and shouted out to German snipers what he thought of them for firing on the Red Cross flag probably got more satisfaction out of it than had he killed them.

Opinion in Berlin is being revised about that contemptible little British army. It is now being looked on, if not officially, yet positively, with considerable wholesome, not to say chastened respect.

The Lokal Anzeiger of Berlin states that the war has exposed in its nakedness much that is low and contemptible. And the Berlin paper certainly should be familiar with such things.

When a fair young widow begins to regret that she has suspended further tender references to No. 1 until after she has bagged her quarry.

Germany has shut off shipments of coal to Holland and, paradoxical as it may seem, that action has made the Hollanders hot.

Perhaps it is reasoned that the high price of shoes will make us so careful of them that we shall be afraid to kick.

Swords are out of place in modern warfare, but the airplane propeller wields a deadly blade.

Oh, war, how many idiotic boners are pulled in thy name!

### TRAINING REGULAR ARMY.

We read much these days of the doings of National Guardsmen and National army conscripts in their cantonments, but nothing ever appears about the training of the regular army, which is now no small affair. On April 1 it contained 110,000 officers and men. Now they number nearly 350,000. Where are they all? The natural presumption is that most of them are in France, where they are being prepared for trench work, says Milwaukee Wisconsin. Recent events have also brought out the fact that a number of National Guardsmen, possibly two divisions, have crossed the ocean. More may be expected to follow soon. Washington refuses to let it be known how many soldiers Uncle Sam has in France, but it is a fair guess that the number is much larger than is generally supposed.

It's not so much preaching that we need as wholesome example. Man-kind is looking for the fellows who get joy out of life, not the fellows that take it out. It longs for real happiness that won't need to apologize for flubbing over when there is something to laugh at. It craves the man of strength and culture that can enter into the frolics of childhood and show by enjoyment that he was not just playing a part. It longs for the touch of honest sympathy that comforts without pitying. Such characters change life's perspective and get young people to see that there is joy in life without 'going to the devil to get it. And if there is anyone who should be happy it is he who has lived well.

Already soldiers and sailors have applied for insurance policies aggregating \$18,000,000 under the new war insurance system. As the benefits of the government's plan come to be fully understood, the men in the national service will not need to be persuaded to take advantage of it. They owe it to themselves and their families to provide for the future with the government's assistance.

The shortage of cents is attributed to the advance in the prices of cigars and cigarettes. It is declared that the humble change maker has not been so scarce at any previous time during the past twenty years. Many people are paying greater attention to the copper than they did when it had more purchasing value than it possesses now. Human beings are so inconsistent!

The intimation is becoming stronger that the German people are more and more disposed to mind their own business, which a mixture of junkerism and militarism has hitherto kindly minding for them. The war is proving in more ways than one the biggest boomerang of modern times.

The British peers are attacking the practice of buying and selling titles. They ought to adopt the simple practice in this country, where any man who wants a title can assume one to his liking without paying a cent to obliging friends for calling him by it.

The government forecast of a 25 per cent increase in this year's crop of early potatoes will produce a feeling of cheerfulness among people who have not cut those costly vegetables off their list.

The Boston schoolteacher who was amazed to discover that her pupils couldn't put the words to "America" on paper correctly, would be shocked to learn that probably not one college graduate in a hundred could do it either.

If you want to find out the difference between a highbrow and a bonthead, ask the highbrow. He knows. The bonthead doesn't. The bonthead knows enough to be unhappy, which is quite some consolation, we claim.

Yellow root, it seems, has also gone up in price, due to war conditions, but all hope need not be abandoned until a report is received on next spring's sassafras crop.

All the world is wondering why Japan does not take a more active part in the war. And Japan allows all the world to keep on wondering.

Even though the ban continue on German dyestuffs, we look for an ample supply of highly-colored American yarns from the front.

Moderate your eating to the point where your mouth will water when you even think of a hatful of corned beef and cabbage.

A shortage in attendance of the upper classes of colleges this year does not indicate retrogression.

We can think of but one argument in favor of 3-cent postage. Discouragement of poets.

It is said that the men in the trenches need new uniforms every month.

## Dry Goods, Shoes and Clothing

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### Department of the Interior

United States Land Office  
Juneau, Alaska.

December 5, 1917.

Notice is hereby given that Josephine H. Mason, widow of Julius A. Mason, dead, of Wrangell, Alaska, has filed in this office notice of intention to make final five year proof to establish her homestead claim under the provisions of the Act of May 14, 1898, as amended March 3, 1903, (32 Stat. 1028) to the land embraced in U. S. Survey 1226, situate on the East side of Wrangell Narrows, Mitkof Island, Lat. 56° 34' N., Long. 132° 57' W., and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at Cor. No. 1, M. C., on line of ordinary high tide, Wrangell Narrows, whence U. S. L. M. bears S. 36° 10' 37" E. 8.02 chs., thence meandering on line of ordinary high tide (1) S. 27° 06' E. 3.19 chs. (2) S. 60° 04' E. 3.57 chs. (3) S. 6° 00' W. 2.26 chs. (4) S. 13° 51' E. 2.32 chs. (5) S. 28° 36' E. 2.97 chs. (6) S. 23° 25' W. 1.08 chs. (7) S. 8° 53' W. 4.13 chs. (8) S. 2° 03' W. 1.64 chs. (9) S. 7° 52' E. 5.02 chs. (10) S. 4° 58' E. 6.08 chs. (11) S. 0° 48' W. 4.25 chs. to Cor. No. 2, M. C. whence W. C. bears E. 0.70 chs., thence E. 34.88 chs. to Cor. No. 3, thence N. 36.48 chs. to Cor. No. 4, thence W. 40.00 chs. to Cor. No. 1, the place of beginning, containing an area of 129.88 acres, Mag. Var. 30° 45' E. Said proof will be established by the testimony of said Josephine H. Mason before the U. S. Commissioner C. E. Weber, at his office at Wrangell, Alaska, on the first day of May, 1918, at ten o'clock a. m., and by the testimony of two of the following witnesses, viz: Frederick E. Brown, William G. Thomas, John G. Grant, Leo C. Patenaude, all of Wrangell, Alaska.

C. B. WALKER,  
Register.

## Advertise In Your Local Paper

Somebody is suggesting the return of the old paper collar. No, sir. Paper is too expensive; the men couldn't afford paper collars.

For the first time in their lives the millions in our armies do not have to be bothered with the high cost of living.

Trading in sugar futures is now to be but a sweet memory.

WHAT'S the use o' kickin'?  
The rain you don't want  
is doin' some feller's crops

a heap o' good, an' th' fish  
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days. Anyway, try a  
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anything you'd like to  
have it.

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## WRANGELL DAIRY

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### NOTICE.

Tax on dogs was due January 1. Male dogs \$1.50. Female dogs \$2.00. Pay the same to Chas. Benjamin, Town Treasurer.

By Order of Council.

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Visiting Paps welcome.  
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J. W. PRITCHETT, Secretary.

### Stikine Tribe No. 5

### Imp. Order of Redmen

Meets every Tuesday evening in  
the Redmen's hall at 7:30 o'clock.  
Visiting brothers cordially  
invited.

OSCAR CARLSON, Sachem.  
L. M. CHURCHILL, C. of R.

### Arctic Brotherhood

Camp Wrangell, No. 28

Meets every Wednesday at 7:30  
P.M. sharp, at Red Men's Lodge  
Rooms.  
Visiting Brothers Cordially Invited

Thomas Dalgity, Arctic Chief,  
L. M. Churchill, Secretary.



## STEAMSHIP LINES

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Jan. 17 CITY OF SEATTLE Jan. 21

Leave Wrangell for Petersburg, Juneau, Douglas, Haines and Skagway  
Leave Wrangell for Ketchikan, Prince Rupert, Seattle, Tacoma and all Puget Sound Points

CALIFORNIA ROUTE—Leave Seattle Mondays, Fridays and Saturdays for  
San Francisco, Los Angeles, and San Diego.  
San Francisco to Los Angeles daily except Sunday.  
San Francisco to San Diego Mondays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

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Wrangell, Alaska

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## Advertising Pays

## CABLE NEWS

MONDAY, JAN. 14.

CAMP FUNSTON, KANSAS.—Captain Lewis R. Whistler of  
this cantonment, virtually confessing to bank hold-up and murders  
here last week, shot and killed himself.

SEATTLE.—Alfred H. Brooks of the United States Geological  
Survey is now busy designing trenches and dugouts for General  
Pershing.

PETROGRAD.—Lenine read President Wilson's speech, praised  
it and ordered its full text telegraphed to Trotsky at Brest Litovsk.

ROME.—The British kept up a constant attack Sunday on the  
Tentons in the A-rigo Plateau on the left bank of the Piave northeast  
of Montello. The British also drove back the enemy north of Monte  
Mellago.

NEW YORK.—"America must accept no peace, overwhelming  
victory," Roosevelt said in an address before the Ohio society.

NEW YORK.—Wireless message indicates that the S. S. Texas  
is sinking off this coast, apparently from collision. There are 43  
aboard.

SEATTLE.—The government authorities disclosed today that the  
Spokane was deliberately wrecked by William Swanson, a German  
who was masquerading as quartermaster, but was really not a mem-  
ber of the crew. He was several times at the wheel. He was arrest-  
ed shortly after the wreck and later released. Now he cannot be  
found.

WASHINGTON.—More than a million dollars' worth of army sup-  
plies burned by fire of mysterious origin in the warehouse at Wash-  
ington barracks.

#### NOTICE TO REGISTRANTS

[Cablegram]

Juneau, Jan. 9, 1918.

F. Matheson,  
Local Board No. 8,  
Wrangell, Alaska.

In accordance with a ruling of  
the Provost Marshal General you  
are instructed as follows:

"Inasmuch as no drawings  
have taken place in Alaska, and  
no order numbers have been as-  
signed Alaskan registrants, and  
since communications with local  
boards in Alaska are now prac-  
tically impossible, the provisions  
of the regulations relating to the  
voluntary induction into military  
service and enlistment, in the  
navy or marine corps of such  
registrants are not applicable.

"The following is, therefore,  
ordered to be effective until such  
time only as a drawing takes  
place in Alaska. No person un-  
der the jurisdiction of an Alaskan  
local board will be considered as  
within the current quota. Any  
such registrant desiring enlistment  
in the navy or marine corps or  
voluntary induction into military  
service may apply to any local  
board for the certificate required  
by Section 151, Selective Service  
Regulations, or for voluntary in-  
duction.

"The local board applied to will  
require the registrant to exhibit  
his registration certificate, and,  
if satisfied that he is in fact an  
Alaskan registrant will require  
him to file a questionnaire and will  
thereafter treat him as one of its  
own registrants, except that it  
will enter on every paper, in  
every space requiring a local  
board stamp the designation of  
the Alaskan local board, will for-

ward to the governor of Alaska  
all papers required to be filed by  
a local board, together with a  
letter of transmittal stating that  
registrant was inducted into mili-  
tary service or authority to enlist  
in navy or marine corps, and will  
not enter the registrant's name  
on its classification list. Credit  
for induction accomplished under  
authority of this telegram will  
be allowed to the proper Alaskan  
board.

"Of course these men are sub-  
ject to the same restrictions as  
to induction as other applicants,  
and no men will be inducted for  
any corps or department of army  
for which induction has been  
stopped by existing orders."

You are further instructed to  
give this order as much publicity  
as possible, through your local  
newspapers and otherwise, and  
to encourage voluntary enlist-  
ments and induction, in order to  
make up the deficiency in our  
quota in this manner if possible.

STRONG, Governor.

#### Spurgeon's Orphanage.

Spurgeon's orphanage owes its origin  
to a letter received by Mr. Spurgeon  
in 1866 from Mrs. Hilliard offering  
him £20,000 to found a home for desti-  
tute orphan boys. Mr. Spurgeon was  
too amazed to believe this clergyman's  
widow's offer and called on her "to  
confirm about the £20,000 she wished  
to place in his hands." But securities for  
£20,000 were soon handed over, and the  
orphanage came into being. The noble  
benefactor, Mrs. Hilliard, died in 1880.  
Her last words were, "My boys, my  
boys!"—London Telegraph.

#### Explained.

"What seems to be the matter with  
him?" asked the doctor, approaching  
the bedside of the man who lay swathed  
in bandages.

"He found the gas leak," briefly ex-  
plained the nurse.—London Tit-Bits.

Is your subscription paid up?

### Who Can Tell of the Morrow? Don't Delay. Go to Church Next Sunday.

SOME of the young people of today when asked why they do not  
GO TO CHURCH say that they are too busy having a good  
time; that they will GO TO CHURCH when they grow  
old. They'll vehemently declare their belief in God and admit  
that the church is all right. But they repeat that they will have  
plenty of time to repent and GO TO CHURCH in their declin-  
ing years.

How many of these young people are sure that they will live  
to be old? How many of them can positively say that they will  
LIVE TO SEE ANOTHER DAY? Procrastination is the thief  
of time. Don't put off until tomorrow what you can do today. If  
you are having a good time now and neglecting church, GOD  
MAY NEGLECT YOU when you need him most.

AFTER ALL, THE SO CALLED GOOD TIMES ARE MORE OR  
LESS EMPTY. YOU'LL HAVE A REAL GOOD TIME IN CHURCH.  
IT'S THE MAN WITH THE EASY CONSCIENCE WHO HAS THE  
REAL GOOD TIME IN THIS WORLD. TROUBLED CONSCIENCES  
RESULT FROM MANY OF THE SO CALLED GOOD TIMES OF  
TODAY. ISN'T THIS TRUE? THINK IT OVER. GOD WANTS THE  
YOUNG PEOPLE. THE CHURCH WANTS THE YOUNG PEOPLE.  
PREACHERS WANT THE YOUNG PEOPLE IN CHURCH. THE  
LESSONS THAT ARE TAUGHT THERE FIT A MAN OR WOMAN  
FOR THE BATTLE OF LIFE.

It seems that in every line of endeavor but the church YOUTH  
IS ENTHUSIASTIC. Why not become enthusiastic over church?  
Isn't the goal worth while? Every young man and young woman  
in this community should make it a point to GO TO CHURCH  
next Sunday. When you were a child you went to church. Why  
forget the church in the days of early manhood or womanhood?  
If there ever is a time when you NEED THE CHURCH MOST  
it is then. It is the MOST CRITICAL PERIOD of your life.

The church is the BULWARK OF THE NATION. You  
will have to admit that, young people. Then why not help along  
this grand GO TO CHURCH movement and attend divine serv-  
ice next Sunday?

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## CABLE NEWS

TUESDAY, JAN. 15.

SEATTLE.—The City of Seattle sailed at ten o'clock this morning. C. E. McKinney is the only passenger booked for Wrangell.

SEATTLE.—The steamship "Seattle," with a cargo of flour sailed this morning for France.

SEATTLE.—Indications are that negotiations will be closed today by the purchase by the Grand Trunk, of the steamship F. A. Kilburn owned by Crowley & Mahoney of San Francisco.

WASHINGTON.—An amendment to the pending resolution for government control of news print paper which would have placed authority with the President, was defeated today in the Senate which voted to place the power entirely with the federal trade commission.

BERLIN.—Italian attacks on Teutonic lines in Monte Asalone and Monte Perica sectors broke down with heavy losses, the army headquarters reported today.

LONDON.—The Chancellor of Exchequer announced in the House of Commons that inquiry had revealed that the British War Cabinet was not taken by surprise by the German Cambrai attack.

SEATTLE.—Gill filed today for mayor.

SEATTLE.—B. M. Behrends, the Juneau banker, today conferred with Daniel Kelleher, director for Washington and Alaska for the sale of war savings stamps. The purpose of the conference was to outline a war savings campaign for Alaska.

WASHINGTON.—Congressional investigation of slanderous charges against the character of American troops abroad alleged to have been circulated by the Anti-Saloon League was proposed in resolution today.

ROME.—Pessimistic report on possibility of an early peace was received at the Vatican today. Papal nuncios in Austria and Germany were asked by the Pope to report on the peace outlook and their reply, based on the growing ascendancy of militarists in Germany, said there were no indications of an early peace.

ROME.—In an attack in the Monte Asalone region the Italians inflicted very heavy losses on the enemy, the war office announced.

SEATTLE.—The government today ordered the arrest of Swanson, the suspected wrecker of the Spokane. He is believed to be on the schooner Mary E. Foster on a voyage from Port Ludlow to Honolulu.

WASHINGTON.—Spoetmann, the Norfolk spy, has an excellent chance of being shot. The chain of evidence, showing extensive operations, being completed.

PARIS.—The arrest of Caillaux due principally to a cablegram from Secretary Lansing saying that Caillaux had been in communication with the Berlin foreign offices.

LONDON.—Three killed and ten injured when Yarmouth on the North Sea coast was bombarded from sea early today. Twenty shells thrown into town, each by a German destroyer or submarine.

PETROGRAD.—Members of the Rumanian legation arrested here today, causing a sensation in the diplomatic corps.

## Local and Personal

Olaf Olsen and C. W. Scarborough of Petersburg are in town.

C. J. Leeds who spent a portion of the winter in San Francisco is now in Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Pennycook are now located at Skykomish, Wash.

Ray Ready has joined the Seattle Fire Department.

Food will win the war—Don't waste it.

For the shave and haircut of satisfaction go to Ed Grigwire's shop, opposite drug store.

F. A. Cloudy who is connected with the sawmill at Craig, is in town this week on business.

B. F. Book, mill wright at the Craig sawmill was in Wrangell this week en route to Seattle where he has been called by the illness of his wife.

Wm. E. Lloyd returned on the Despatch from a business trip of several weeks in the States.

Found—A pair of glasses on the St. Michael Trading Co. dock. Inquire at the Sentinel.

Miss Lynn Worden is now attending a business college in Seattle.

John Berg returned a few days ago from a trip to the West Coast.

Robert Royalty of Craig is in Wrangell this week.

Mrs. Nora Reed arrived from Craig on the Glenora. She is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Leonard.

The weapon that will win the war is food—Help save it for that purpose.

Dale Hunt and Harvey Stackpole of Ketchikan were in Wrangell yesterday. They were returning from a trip to Baranoff Island on the Ella Rofe. W. J. Neill accompanied them on their return to Ketchikan.

The mail contract from Juneau to Sitka which was held by W. J. Neill, for some time, was this week let to Dr. E. H. Kaser, a dentist of Juneau. Dr. Kaser will at once construct a boat for the service.

Chas. Turney was a passenger to Ketchikan on the Jefferson this morning.

Jack Vigers left for Seattle on the Jefferson this morning.

A. J. Eidner and T. Lempsie of Craig were passengers to Seattle on the Jefferson this morning.

Capt. McGregor of the late lamented Al-Ki has been given command of one of the large government boats recently launched at Seattle.

### NOTICE

All bills due for professional services rendered by me have been assigned to William Patterson. Same are now payable to him at St Michaels Trading Co.

DR. S. C. SHURICK.

### Presbyterian Church.

Sunday, January 20, 7:30 p.m. Facing the conditions. What are the conditions? Come and we will study them together as they are.

Text: John 18:36, 37.

### Notice to Moose

Dues in the Moose lodge may be paid at the Sentinel office any day of the week.

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### Notes from the Public Schools

This week ends the first half of the year's work and the High School pupils are to be given regular mid year examinations on Thursday and Friday.

Next term spelling is to be added to the High School course. Rowe's Commercial Speller is to be used.

The Junior Red Cross has been started this week. A School Chapter Committee consisting of Miss Carhart, Mrs. Edmunson and Miss Quast was appointed to have the supervision of the Junior Auxiliaries of the Wrangell Chapter and Mrs. M. O. Johnson was appointed Treasurer. The committee, with Miss Curtin and Miss Dyas met at the school building on Monday afternoon. Mrs. Matheson taking the place of Miss Carhart, who preferred not to act on the committee. Most of the work of the Junior Auxiliary will be educational though the different rooms will make gun wipes, gun cleaners, comfort pillows, etc. The older girls will sew for the refugees. Mrs. M. O. Johnson and Miss Quast will supervise this work.

### NOTICE

The F. C. Barnes Co. will not be responsible for the payment of any bills against the company where goods are sold without a requisition from the company.

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3 Taps  
Fire Out  
3 Taps at Intervals  
Meetings and Drills  
2 taps, an interval and 1 tap, repeated

## CABLE NEWS

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 16.

CAMP FUNSTON, KANSAS.—Sixty thousand dollars in money was found this morning hidden on a shelf in the quarters of Captain Whistler, who committed suicide last Sunday. Captain Whistler last week participated in a bank robbery in which four were killed.

PETROGRAD.—At the conclusion of his address to the Red Guard last night an attempt was made on the life of Premier Lenine. Four shots were fired at him as he was driving away in an automobile. A Swedish socialist who was seated beside Lenine was shot through the hand.

PETROGRAD.—The first five thousand volunteers of the new socialist army left for the front today, sped by one of the most enthusiastic demonstrations this city has seen for months.

PETROGRAD.—War on Rumania unless that nation within 24 hours releases Russian officers held there was threatened in an ultimatum served by the Bolsheviks today.

TOKYO.—Japanese warships have been dispatched to Vladivostok for protection of the Allied interests there according to announcement today.

LONDON.—Haig reported no fighting.

LONDON.—A dispatch from Serbian headquarters reports that Germany is making desperate efforts to win over Serbia from the Allies.

WASHINGTON.—President Wilson today nominated Everett McPhee to be postmaster at Anchorage. He renominated the Portland postmaster.

WASHINGTON.—Ambassador Sato will shortly return to Japan via Seattle.

NEW YORK.—The steamship Texan has been saved. No loss of life.

WASHINGTON.—From its mysterious and miscellaneous stock of intercepted diplomatic communications the State Department today published correspondence between Bernstorff and the Berlin foreign office showing that former Premier Caillaux of France was in communication with German agents in 1915. The first Bernstorff dispatch contained damaging references to Caillaux's references to the French government and warned German newspapers against praising him.

WASHINGTON.—In one of his cablegrams to Berlin Ambassador Bernstorff telling of his Washington interview with Caillaux says Caillaux speaks contemptuously of President Poincare and the rest of the French government. He sees through the policy of England perfectly. He does not anticipate the complete overthrow of France. He sees in the war now a struggle for existence on the part of England. "Caillaux welcomed indirect courtesies from me, but emphasized extreme caution." He said that Washington was receiving Caillaux coldly.

PARIS.—Louis Loustalot, a member of the chamber of deputies was arrested today in connection with the Caillaux affair as a result of exposures made by the American State department.

CHEHALIS, WASH., (Delayed)—Oscar B. Main, a brother of Justice Main of the Supreme court, has been arrested charged with the murder of Fred Swayne, a grocer, who was found dead in his store at Napavine. Main was one of Swayne's pull bearers.

SEATTLE. (Delayed)—G. Muri Gordon, former officer in the French flying corps and J. Fred Drake, a clerk, have been arrested and identified as leaders of the mob which wrecked the Pigott printing plant from which an I. W. W. newspaper was published.

AMSTERDAM.—Czernin announced at Brest Litovsk that the Central powers would recognize Ukraine as an independent republic.

CHICAGO.—A hundred thousand volunteer workers are rescuing Chicago and the middle west railroads from the grip of the storm of Saturday and Sunday which was the worst in more than 30 years.

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